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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY PARIS  
AMEMBASSY ANTANARIVO

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PLOS, CN, FR

SUBJECT: EXTENSION OF MARITIME CLAIMS: COMOROS AND FRANCE

REF: STATE 282257, NOVEMBER 17, 1976

1. DEPARTMENT CURRENTLY PREPARING PAPER ON UNILATERAL  
MARITIME CLAIMS. SPECIFIC INFORMATION ON CONTENTS OF  
NATIONAL LAWS OR DECREES NEEDED FOR VALID ASSESSMENT OF  
CLAIMS. EMBASSIES REQUESTED (REFTEL) TO OBTAIN COPY OF  
COMOROS' JUNE 25, 1976 LEGISLATION ESTABLISHING ITS  
TERRITORIAL SEA LIMIT AT 12 NAUTICAL MILES AND ITS  
ECONOMIC ZONE AT 200 NAUTICAL MILES.

2. FOR PARIS - EMBASSY ALSO REQUESTED TO OBTAIN COPY OF  
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FRANCE'S 200 MILE FISHERY LAW.

3. DEPARTMENT WISHES TO COMPLETE STUDY BY START OF NEXT  
LOS SESSION (MAY 23). REQUEST INFORMATION SENT SOONEST  
TO ATTENTION INR/RGE.

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